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ENGINEERING FIELD HANDBOOK (NEH Part 650)
210 – ENG
Notice IL92

SUBJECT: ENG – National Engineering Handbook (NEH), Part 645, Engineering Technical Materials

Purpose. To distribute new IL-ENG standard drawings.

Effective Date: Upon receipt.

Explanation of Changes. This notice distributes two new standard drawings: IL-ENG-135 and IL-ENG-136.

Conservation Practice Standard 604 – Saturated Buffer was added to the Illinois Field Office Technical Guide this month. Standard drawings for saturated buffers have been created to assist designers implementing this new conservation practice. One of the drawings allows for drainage water management in conjunction with the saturated buffer.

The Illinois NRCS engineering website will be revised to reflect the updated drawings at:
http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/il/technical/engineering/?cid=nrcs141p2_030571.

The drawings will be available for 30 days under the Shared Documents section on the SharePoint site here:

https://ems-team.usda.gov/sites/NRCS_Illinois/Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx

Filing Instructions (Drawings). Optional. Holders of hardcopy Illinois Engineering Drawing binders should:

1. Replace Numerical Index dated 8/15/2016 with the new Numerical Index (attached) dated 8/18/2016.
2. Replace Category Index dated 8/15/2016 with the new Category Index (attached) dated 8/18/2016.
3. Print copies of the new drawings.
4. Follow instructions on attached distribution listing of new drawings, filing in the IL-ENG Drawing binder.

Any questions regarding this submittal should be directed to the Area Engineer.

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